

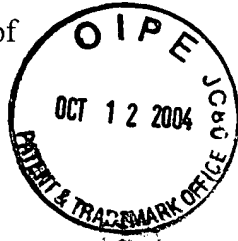
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re patent application of

Kam-Leung Lee, et al.

Serial No.: 10/627,753



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Examiner: Brook Kebede

For: METHOD FOR SLOWING DOWN DOPANT-ENHANCED DIFFUSION IN
SUBSTRATE AND DEVICES FABRICATED THEREFROM

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition for a one-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed June 11, 2004. The Commissioner is authorized to charge Assignee's Deposit Account No. 50-0510 to cover the extension fees in the amount of \$110.00 and excess claim fees in the amount of \$214.00 for a total of \$324.00. An Amendment responsive to the outstanding Office Action is being filed simultaneously herewith. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiencies in fees and credit any overpayment of fees to Assignee's Deposit Account No. 50-0510.

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Respectfully submitted,

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